



2021 Election Schedule

November 2, 2021 – Municipal Election

Friday, July 2, 2021	Filing Period Opens at noon <i>(G.S. 163-294.2(c)(1))</i>
Tuesday, July 13, 2021	Deadline to Withdraw Notice of Candidacy – 5:00 p.m. <i>(G.S.163-294.2(d))</i>
Friday, July 16, 2021	Filing Period Closes at noon <i>(G.S. 163-294.2(c)(1))</i>
Tuesday, July 20, 2021	Oath of Office for appointed Board Members - Noon. <i>(G.S.163-30(e), G.S.163-31(a))</i>
Tuesday, August 17, 2021	Precinct Judges Appointment – 5:00 p.m. <i>G.S. 163-31 & G.S. 163-41(a)</i>
Sunday, October 3, 2021	Absentee ballots available to be mailed (No excuse required) <i>(G.S. 163-227.10(a))</i> 30-Day Residency Deadline <i>(G.S. 163-82.15(a))</i>
Friday, October 8, 2021	Voter Registration Deadline. Forms must be postmarked or delivered in person by this day at 5:00 p.m. <i>(G.S. 163-82.6 (d))</i>
Tuesday, October 12, 2021	Absentee Meeting <i>(G.S. 163-230.1(f))</i>
Thursday, October 14, 2021	One-Stop Early Voting Absentee Voting begins (no excuse required) <i>(G.S. 163-227.2(b))</i>
Tuesday, October 19, 2021	Absentee Applications Meeting <i>(G.S. 163-230.1(f))</i>
Tuesday, October 26, 2021	Absentee Applications Meeting <i>(G.S. 163-230.1(f))</i> Last day to request a mail out absentee ballot <i>(G.S. 163-230.1(a))</i>
Saturday, October 30, 2021	One-Stop Early Voting Absentee Voting ends <i>(G.S. 163-227.2(b))</i>
Monday, November 1, 2021	Absentee Applications Meeting <i>(G.S. 163-230.1(f))</i> UOCAVA Absentee Ballot Request deadline – By 5:00 p.m. on the day before Election day <i>(G.S. 163-258.8)</i> UOVACA Voter Registration deadline – By 5:00 p.m. on the day before Election day <i>(G.S. 163-258.6(d))</i>
Tuesday, November 2, 2021 Polls open 6:30 am, close 7:30 pm	Election Day <i>(G.S. 163-279(a)(1))</i> Absentee Applications Meeting- 5:00 p.m. <i>(G.S. 163-234(2))</i> Deadline to Return Civilian Absentee ballots <i>(G.S. 163-231(b)(2)(b))</i>
Wednesday, November 3, 2021	County Board staff begins audit of election returns
Friday, November 12, 2021	Supplemental Absentee Applications Meeting and Canvass – 10:00 a.m. <i>(G.S. 163-182.5(b))</i>
Monday, December 6, 2021	Filing Period Opens <i>(G.S. 163-106.2(a))</i>
Tuesday, December 14, 2021	Deadline to Withdraw Notice of Candidacy <i>(G.S. 163-106.4)</i>
Friday, December 17, 2021	Filing Period Closes <i>(G.S. 163-106.2(a))</i>